

## Message Text

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C O N F I D E N T I A L LISBON 3621

LIMDIS

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR PO

SUBJ: SOVIET CONSULATE IN AZORES

1. DURING HIS RECENT STAY IN LISBON, FORMER TREASURY SECRETARY DAVID KENNEDY WAS TOLD BY AN OLD BANKING FRIEND THAT SOVIETS HAD ASKED GOP FOR PERMISSION TO ESTABLISH CONSULATE IN AZORES WITH COMPLEMENT OF 25. IN REPORTING THIS TO CHARGE, KENNEDY ACKNOWLEDGED HE TOOK REPORT WITH GRAIN OF SALT, PARTICULARLY SINCE HIS FRIEND HIGHLY CONSERVATIVE.

2. QUERIED BY CHARGE, FONMIN POLITICAL DIRECTOR MAGALHAES CRUZ DENIED REPORT HAD ANY VALIDITY.  
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